

# THE VOLETTE

Abstract

# Popular Teacher Minutes Schedule For Basketball Teams

## First Game with Caruthersville Boys Friday

## Junior Vols Win First Game of Season

Defeat Hickman Night Hawks 24-22

### Three Sick in College Dormitory

### 1 in 4 Victims on Increase in the College

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"Samity"  
 Willie Brown  
 Eugene McCarthy  
 Earl Warren  
 Elia Newsum  
 Joe McGough  
 Earl White  
 Grant McKee  
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Personal Names of  
College Students

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# Jokes

## Interpret This

Sydney Shields, well known actress has an old negro mammy in her employment. The other day a colored man appeared at the door seeking work. The old mammy met him and the following conversation was heard between the two.

"I don't rekonyou-all knows of nobody what don't want to hire nobody to do nothing does you?"

"Yes, indeed, I doesn't."

First Farmer "That city girl is sure dumb."

Second Farmer "How so?"

F. F. "She looked at my windmill and then wanted to know if anybody was hurt in that aeroplane wreck."

John "I can't fignure up here, it's too crowded. When I do my arithmetic I need plenty of room."

Mr. Woods "Why don't you do it in your head, then?"

Shoe Salesman "I can see, madam, that your regular size is a 3. At the same time, you will find 4's so comfortable that I might almost recommend you to wear 5's."

Prospective Roomer "But you advertised a bed-sitting room."

Landlady "Certainly, this is it."

P. R. Well, I see the bed, but where is the sitting room."

L. "On the bed, sir."

## Children Half Price

Little Gertie and her mamma were doing the sights of the town. Soon they came to a show, where a ticket announced, "Children Half Price."

"Oh, do lets us go in, mamma, said the little one, and buy a baby while they are so cheap."

Georgette "Does your wife write to you regularly?"

Karl "No, I gave her enough money before she left."

Cecil refused Freddie two weeks ago and he has been drinking heavily ever since.

That is one trouble with Fred he never knows when to quit celebrating.

## Can You Tell What This Means?

Virginia "Piggie told me that you told her that little secret I told you not to tell her."

Loraine "What? that mean thing? I told her not to tell you that I told her."

V. "Well, she told me anyway, and I told her I wouldn't tell you she told me, so don't tell her I told you."

## A Reliable Tenant

A Martin man called up a bird store the other day and said,

"Have 30,000 cockroaches sent up to me at once."

"What in heaven's name do you want with 30,000 cockroaches?"

"Well, replied the householder, "I am moving today and my lease says I must leave the premises here in exactly the same condition I found THEM in."

## Natural Error

Cop "What's the matter with you Rube? Can't you see those red and green lights?"

Paul White "Yes, sir."

Cop "And yet you ignore them?"

P. W. "I looked at them."

Cop "Then if you saw them and drove by them will you tell me what you think they are lit for?"

P. W. "Christmas!"

## A Tip

Teacher "Johnny, your conduct is outrageous. I am going to consult your father."

Johnny "Better not, teacher, it will cost you \$3.00. He's a doctor."

## Attention Laides!

### For Sale

A gentleman having four or five oriental rugs.

My wife is an inveterate smoker. Why, three times, she's set the bed on fire with her cigarettes. Would you recommend a suit for divorce?

Either that or a suit of asbestos pajamas.

Well Moses what is you doing now? I'se managing a laundry.

What is the name of your laundry? Liza!

College Senior "What would you advise me to read after graduation?"

English Professor "The Help Wanted column."

## New Cosmetic Stunt

Miss Bright "I use the dumb-bells to get color in my face."

Her Uncle "Sensible girl! That's a lot better rthan using color on your face to get the dumb-bells."

One day Josie Pane and Johnnie Ache were married in sweet refrain. Now all the neighbors say, their home ise full of little aches and pains.

The biggest joke yet is Mr. Grantham's mustache.

An old negro went out and got drunk. When he got home he went out to the coal bin and lay down in the coal. When his wife went out to get some coal she saw him there and exclaimed.

Why Bob, what is you doing there?

Oh, I am just laying in our coal for next winter.

Bob "Why is it you never see no runners in Bernice Stone's hose?"

Cy "Why they know better than to start for they know they would never get down."

Mr. Claxton "Yon know Mrs. Grantham sure is economizing."

Mr. Powell "Well, how is that?"

Mr. Claxton "She is having Mr. Grantham to grow him a soup strainer o nhis upper lip."

Mr. Turner tells this one of an English army officer who was stationed in Central Africa at the outbreak of the World War.

At this particular place the officer had a receiving set but no sending station. One day this message came out of the ether.

"War Declared. Arrest all enemy."

Three weeks later a runner came into general headquarters with a letter from the officer which read like this: "Have arrested six Germans, four Spaniards, two Portugese, three Frenchmen, and one American. Please wire who we are at war with."

Bill had a bill board.

Bill also had a board bill.

Now the board bill, boarded Bill, until he sold the bill board to pay the board bill. Then the board bill bored Bill, no longer.

## Time Is Money

Vote received by a clergyman:

This is to let you know that me and Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Statten are coming to your church on Saturday afternoon, next, to undergo the operation of matrimony at your hands. Please be there promptly, as the day is hired by the hour.

Respectfully yours,

James Paul White.

Ikey (to his son Moses) How much is twice two?

Moses "Six ladder."

Ikey "Twice times two is not six, it is four."

Moses "Ya, fooder, I knowed it, I said six so you could Jew me down."

They call her "Angel" because she is no good on earth.

## To A Box Of Soap

A lonely cake of soap I see,  
It sits so sad and still,  
Some careless owner left it there  
Where cleansing waters spill,  
Quite homeless in its present state,  
It watches terrified,  
Expecting doom from everyone of  
Those who come inside.

Fear not, thou harmless nunk of  
grease,  
For I can sympathise,  
Too well the fate of missing cakes  
I've learned to realise,  
Puck up! No enemy is near,  
No danger do I see:  
I love you, little bar of soap  
So come abide with me.

Oscar "Aren't rosy cheeks a sign of health?"

Mayme "I should say they are."

Oscar "Well, I saw a girl the other day who was a lot healthier on one side than on the other."

Little Boy Blue, come blow your horn! You're nearing a crossing your brake lining's worn!

Little Boy Blue didn't let out a peep. He's under a tombstone fast asleep.

The Lord's Prayer Please, dear Lord, help me to be as popular as that dog that ran thru our lecture room this morning.

Professor "Give me an example of wasted energy."

Freshman "Yes, sir, telling a hair raising story to a bald headed man."

Our pessimistic friend says that if all the worlds a stage, the women are given all the speaking parts.

Eliz "I'll be yours an one condition."

J. E. "Easy! I entered college on six."

Flirtation is attention without intention.

Paul White "What makes you so uneasy Is your conscience troubling you?"

Horse Stanfield "No, its my winter underwear."

He (seriously) "What are the last three hairs in a dogs tail called?"

She (very seriously) "Well, truthfully, Jack, I don't know. You tell me."

He (very, very seriously) "Why dog hairs?"

"Isn't he graceful tho? I like to watch him. He's so light on his feet."

"Just a case of both ends balancing."

"Hay, officer, haw do you call a cop?"

"Just say Moses and the bull rushes."

Said the skunk to the hunter with a shiver and a shake.

"What a whale of a difference a few scents make."

Burney "I see here where a woman married a man for money. You wouldn't mary me for money would you?"

Eliz Murrel "I wouldn't marry you for al lthe money in the world."

# Basketball



Friday Night, Jan. 11th

Caruthersville Jr. Col.

versus

U. T. Junior College

at U. T. Gym

# El Toro

By El Toreador

Our weather report: Sunday generally fair, probably followed by Monday.

The flapper compared: good—petter—pest.

Somebody opened the door and influenza.

We recently bought an auto-strop razor, but it won't.

Lashley says: I'd rather be sunburnt on my vacation as blistered on my week-end.

It has been no trouble to persuade the Physical Ed. boys to refrain from sitting since the somersaults in the Gym Thursday. In turning said flips most of the class did not light on the feet.

Ask Brann how he got the corner of that front tooth knocked off.

News Note: Several of the boys assisted in tin-canning a stray dog found on the campus Thursday afternoon. The effort was a howling success.

## STUDE VS. PROF.

The professor wants to know how much a students is getting out of the course while the student wants to know how much he can get out of the class.

Twis quite ingenious of Mr. Woods to build a ladder and place it in the auditorium. Now he doesn't have to hunt a pole to set the clock.

## THE RAVIN'

Once upon a mid night dreary, while I was driving, weak and leary, O'er many a rough and muddy portion of Weakley County road, While I nodded, nearly napping, suddenly there came a tapping As of someone gently rapping, on the carburetor of my little Ford.

"Tis some bolt unloosened," I muttered.

"Only this and nothing more."

Ah, distinctly I remember, it was in the bleak December, And the rattle of each rusty fender reminded me that presently I must mend 'er.

Vainly I had sought to borrow, gasoline for the tomorrow,

For to court the country maiden whom the college boys named Lenore.

To court the freckled and snag-gled maiden, whom the college boys named Lenore.

She lived miles away and mebbe more.

Still the thing kept spluttering, choking, even the radiator was smoking.

And so slowly we'd come poking thru the rain 'till I was soaking.

"Scoundrel, beast," quoth I, "taught of evil, must I walk from here to Martin?"

Quoth the flivver, "Be it so."

Finally the scarred and worn old flivver

Gave one gasp and died with just a quivver.

So now when I go courting, no more may I be sporting—  
I must walk o'er land and river,  
For the trusty aged flivver, is—  
Nevermore.

## CLASSIFIED ADZ

WANTED—To trade five light bulbs for one suit of long-legged underwear. See Matthew Enochs at Boy's Dormitory.

FOR SALE—One brown hat. Anyone interested in same inquire at the Co-op Book Store.

DR. ED. NICHOLS—Makes a specialty of flu patients. Prices reasonable. Office, Boy's Dormitory.

WANTED—To know, if Professor Kulp is a married man. A group of Co-eds.

WANTED—A good used set of furniture for light housekeeping. See Wade Horn.

WANTED—A new set of living room furniture, also boys to fill chairs of same. Apply to Dormitory Girls.

WANTED—To know how long we have to leave the Dorm at 10:00 o'clock. J. E. Nichols.

WANTED—Beaucoup copy. The Editor.

FOUND—In Ridgley Sunday night a fat girl I really liked. Thomas Ruscae.

## Students Play in Game at Mason Hall

Rufus Thompson And Red McCorkle Of Last Years Squad Also Played

On December 27 some of the University students played in a game at Mason Halls. Two of last years stars were on the opposing teams.

Rufus Thompson played at forward for Mason Halls and Red McCorkle, sky-scraper center of last years champions, was at center for the Union City All-Stars. Woody, McNeil, Jones, Rochelle, and McKee were members of this years squad playing on the Mason Halls team. Elder of Southwestern was the other member of the Mason Halls team. Rochelle was star of the game. Woody's floor work was excellent. Fitts and Fox were the best for Union City All-Stars. Mason Halls was victorious.

### Line-up

Mason Halls	U. C. All-Stars	
Thompson	F.	Fitts
Rochelle	F.	Neuling
Jones	C.	McCorkle
McNeil	G.	Oliver
Woody	G.	Fox

### Substitutes

Mason Halls, McKee and Elder.  
Union City All-Stars, Roberts and Witherspoon.

## Alumnea Defeats Girls' Team 34-24

A game of interest to some was that between Alumnae and Martin High girls' basketball team on December 16. The entire Alumnae squad was composed of U. T. students. The game which Alumnae won 34-24 was a contrast of ability and size shown by Alumnae against condition and teamwork of Martin High. Gardner and Hughey were stars for Alumnae while Bagby and French played best for the High School.

Piggie scored the entire amount of 34 points.

### Line-Up

Martin High	Alumnae	
Elliott	F.	Gardner
French	F.	Kelley
Spellings	J. C.	Hughey
Bagby	S. C.	S. Stephenson
Van Cleave	G.	Kirk
Kennedy	G.	Waggener

### Substitutes

Alumnae, Riggins and Wilson.  
Martin High, Hannings, Poyner, Tanner, Hall, M. Stephenson, Gibbs and Ross.

## Miss Morris Has Radio Party

Interesting Social Event Friday Night

On last Friday night January 4, a group of the University boys and girls gathered at the home of Miss Cecil Morris for an informal party.

Bridge and dancing was enjoyed to the sound of the radio.

At a late hour refreshments, consisting of fruit and popcorn, were served.

Those present were: Misses Margaret Bruce, Stevie Stephenson, Pauline Hicks, Marielouise Gardner, Inez Hughey, Cecil Morris. Messrs. Lonnie Hicks Marie Louise Gardner Inez held, Harold McNeil, Garrett Gregory, and Chilton Pritchett.

## Who Knows?

Whether Burney Car is ever as easy as he appears to be?

Is the Dormitory girls like hash?

What happened to Juanita Towner Sunday night that she got home so early?

How to study in the Book Store?

How Pauline Hicks manages to keep her dates and lessons all going at once?

Whether the mouse that climbs a woman's skirt today is part kangaroo?

Why Jennie Lanier is so handsome and yet is not in the movies?

If this prayer should be answered?

O, Lord, give us fewer classes and shorter lessons, give us later and smaller hours and make men bigger and better, and more of them, Amen.

Why a girl promises to become a sister to a fellow when she refuses to marry him, but when she accepts, she promises to be a bother to him?

## Town Girls Entertain

Home Economics Building Scene Of Enjoyable Parfity

On December 19th the town girls

of the Junior College entertained the town boys at the Home Economics Building.

Whoopie! A big Christmas celebration and a good time was had by all.

White—"A fool and his money are soon parted."

Bond—"Who go tyours."

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